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Koge-Donbo

CHARACTER & OUTLINE

Misha

Kotarou's mysterious neighbour. She is an angel.

Higuchi Kotarou

A cool sixth-grade boy. His mother died in a car accident.

What has happened so far:

Kotarou is in the sixth grade and his entrance examination is coming up. His mother died when he was still young. Since then, he has lived alone with his busy father and lives a normal peaceful life. But he has a new neighbour: Misha, who always follows him everywhere. Then there is another girl who moved here: the mysterious Shia with her black kitten.

Sasha

Misha's older sister and an angel. She doesn't want Misha to get too attached to Kotarou.

Nya

A demon, who can transform into a black cat. He accompanies Shia. He is really mean at times.

Shia

A demon with a black kitten (Nya). She's looking for something important.

Uematsu Koboshi

Kotarou's classmate. She has been in love with Kotarou ever since first grade.

Ayanokoji Takashi

(Ten-chan) Kotarou's classmate and the best elementary school pupil in all of Japan!

Tarou

Kotarou's great-grandfather. In Tokyo he sees 'Shima' again and marries her. They have two children.

Shino

Kotarou's little cousin. She is afraid of Shia.

Mitarai Hirishi

(Pai-chan) Kotarou's classmate. Ten-chan calls him Poo-chan. Thinks of Ten-chan as his rival.

Shima

Tarou's wife and thus Kotarou's great-grandmother. She is actually Shia.

What happened so far continued:

When Kotarou had almost gotten used to his new neighbours, all of a sudden Shia got an unexplainable attack and kissed him. Kotarou fell into a coma, but Misha was able to save him. When he woke up, he found out that Shia had dissapeared, at the same time when his great-grandfather's health became worse. He hurried home at once and to his surprise met Shia there, her life force was about to run out. Kotarou traveled to the childhood days of his great-grandfather with Misha, hoping to find help Shia. Besides the young Tarou, his great-grandfather, Kotarou also finds Shia, though she is called 'Shima'. Tarou and Shima, or rather Shia, marry and have two children. Later she leaves the family, because she can't resist her demonic nature anymore. Now it's clear, that Shia has looked for her family and that Kotarou is her great-grandson. He returns to the present, in which his great-grandfather dies soon after.

Lesson 38

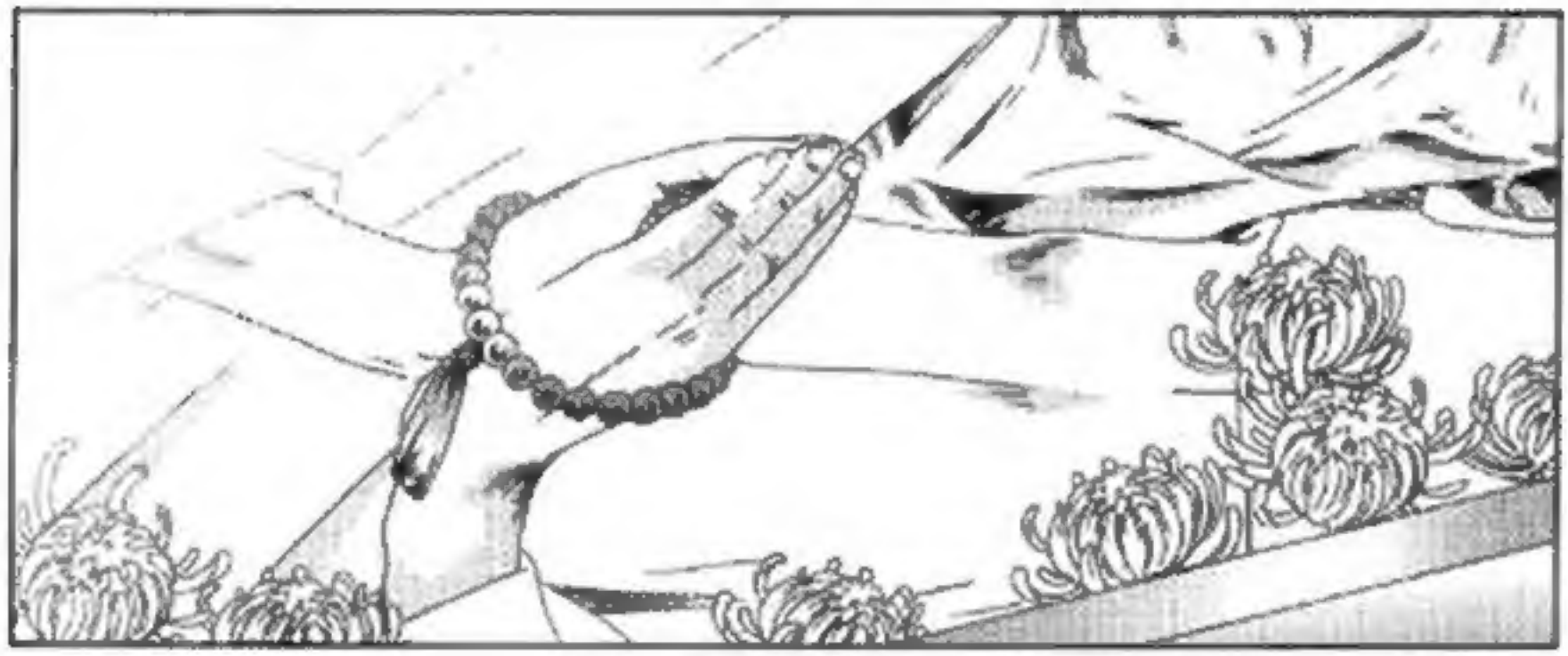
How to find what you are searching for - Part 6

ER, YES
SHALL WE GO?
KOTAROU-SAN...

SIGN: MOURNING CEREMONY

SIGN: TEMPLE

SIGN: RECEPTION



I'VE FOUND YOU
TAROU-SAN...

I'M SO SORRY...
I'M SO SORRY...
I WANTED TO SEE YOU SO MUCH...

TAROU-SAN...

THANKS TO YOU...

...EXPERIENCES IN MY LIFE....

...DESPITE ALL OF THESE...

...BECAUSE YOU WERE BY MY SIDE

...I WAS REALLY HAPPY...

I REALLY NEED TO STOP CRYING

SHIA-SAN?

...OUR WHOLE LIVES AHEAD OF US

WE BOTH STILL HAVE...

EXACTLY

.....

IT'S OUR FUTURE...

WHERE DID HE GO?

YOUR COMPANION.

OH YES...

HE WENT BACK HE DIDN'T

WANT TO STAY WITH ME ANYMORE.

ER...

. HE ALWAYS SEEMED DISSATISFIED

YES, HE HAS ACCOMPANIED ME IN MY SEARCH, THOUGH.

HE WENT BACK?!

WHEN HE FOUND ME...

.. I HAD LOST ALL MY MEMORIES OF MY WORLD

SOMEWHERE ON EARTH, AFTER AN ACCIDENT IN THE WORLD OF DEMONS. THAT'S WHAT HE TOLD ME

I GOT LOST...

HE SAID, THAT IT WAS QUITE TROUBLESOME TO GET ME INCONSPICUOUSLY OUT OF THE HUMAN'S WORLD.

INCONSPICUOUSLY? THAT DOESN'T REALLY SEEM LIKE HIM..

...TO A DEMON

IT'S LIKE THAT WHEN THE PATHS OF TWO CREATURES FROM DIFFERENT WORLDS CROSS EACH OTHER, THERE WILL PROBABLY BE BAD CONSEQUENCES.

HE JUST WANTED TO AVOID THAT BEFORE THINGS BECAME MORE SERIOUS

WE THE DEMONS, AND ALSO THE ANGELS, CAN ONLY GIVE SOMETHING.

WHEN WE SEE A GAP IN THE HEART OF A HUMAN

I SEE...

I DON'T UNDERSTAND...

BUT...

SINCE I GOT BACK FROM THE HUMAN WORLD.

I ALWAYS HAD THE FEELING, THAT I HAD FORGOTTEN SOMETHING.

SOMETHING, THAT WAS ONCE REALLY IMPORTANT TO ME AND THAT I REALLY MISSED

DID NOT DISAP-PEAR OUT OF MY HEAD

AND THE QUES-TION, THAT OF WHAT IT COULD BE

HE KNEW, WHAT I HAD FORGOTTEN. BUT NOT WHERE TO FIND IT, BECAUSE THE WORLD HAS CHANGED SO MUCH AFTER ALL THESE YEARS.

I BECAME WEAKER AND WEAKER, BUT I STILL HAVE MY STAFF

YES, HE AL..OWED ME TO CARRY OUT MY SEARCH, BUT ONLY...

UNDER HIS SUPERVISION

THAT'S WHY YOU CAME WITH HIM!

THANKS TO ITS POWERS, I COULD HOLD ON MUCH LONGER THAT EXPECTED

YES, SURELY YOU HAVE SEEN IT .

STAFF?

AS MY BLOOD ALSO FLOWS IN YOUR VEINS, YOU'RE MORE SENSITIVE TO THESE THINGS THAN ANYONE ELSE.

YES, YOU FELT ITS POWER..

THEN THERE WAS ALSO MY HEAD-ACHES..

ITS POWERS?

BUT ONE DAY SOMETHING HAPPENED TO YOU, SOMETHING THAT MADE YOUR ABILITIES MATURE FASTER.

YET, NOTHING DISTINGUISHES YOU APART FROM THE 'NORMAL' HUMANS..

IS THAT SO?

SFX:KOTAROU'S THOUGHT HOW FAST?

THAT I ONCE PASSED ALONG. FULL OF MELAN-CHOLY AND YEARNING

AND THEN THE LONG WAY FROM THE NORTH TO TOKYO..

THE HOT SPRINGS, THAT YOU HAVE VISITED WITH YOU FRIENDS, WAS ONE OF THEM.

AND THERE WERE PLACES IN WHICH I COULD HAVE FOUND THEM

I HAVE SEARCHED FOR THE TRACES OF MY PAST

SFX: SIGH

UWAHH!

AND...

...YOU

...ALSO...

FORGIVE ME

LED ME TO YOU

THE BOND OF BLOOD.

REALLY? NOW NOTHING WILL HAPPEN TO ME ANYMORE?

YES!

BUT NOW EVERY-THING IS OVER

YOU WERE IN DANGER SO OFTEN BECAUSE OF ME. I FELT SOMETHING IN YOU AND WANTED TO KNOW WHAT IT WAS.

BECAUSE YOU'RE FAMILY

WHATEVER HAPPENS, I'LL ALWAYS PROTECT YOU, I PROMISE

NO MATTER WHAT HAPPENS.

EVEN IF I...

WHY?

BECAUSE YOU'RE BEING SO SERIOUS! YOU'RE EMBARASSING ME!!

WELL, IT'S LIKE...

EH?

N-NO! DON'T SAY ANYTHING ELSE, SHIA-SAN!

IT'S AWKWARD

BECAUSE I WAS ONCE

IN LOVE WITH YOU...

IT WAS THANKS TO HIM THAT I REALIZED MY FEELINGS FOR YOU

ACTUALLY

OH!

AND NOW I KNOW WHY YOU ALWAYS ARE SO SILENT AND CONFUSED

WE'RE RELATIVES

BUT YOU ARE MY GREAT GRANDMOTHER AND THAT MEANS

BUT DON'T WORRY BECAUSE

SO THAT'S WHAT I MEANT

NOW I'M OVER IT

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I'M GLAD TO HEAR THAT

OH!

THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR THE COMPLIMENT

!

EH?!

YES? WHICH PERSON YOU ARE IN LOVE WITH NOW?

.....!

NOBODY!

N-NO!

MI...

MISHA-SAN!

UWAHH!

KOTAROU -KUN!

KOTAROU-SAN!

WHAT DOES HE WANT?

YOUR FATHER HAS BEEN LOOKING FOR YOU, KOTAROU-KUN

REALLY?

THE PERSON YOU LIKE

LOOK AFTER...

W-WHAT IS THAT SUPPOSED TO MEAN?!

EH?!

SO PAY GOOD ATTENTION..

...TO HER

IT COULD BE DIFFICULT TO DO THAT

EVEN IF YOU KNOW IT ALREADY ..

...AFTER YOU HAVE LOST HER

IT'LL BE TOO LATE, WHEN YOU ONLY NOTICE HOW IMPORTANT SHE WAS TO YOU..

ER. YES

HAVEN'T THE WINTER HOLIDAYS ALREADY STARTED?

I HAVE TO GO BACK?!

WHY?!

YOU NEED TO STUDY, DON'T YOU?

YES... I DO...

THE MOURNING PERIOD IS ALREADY OVER.

..BUT I'LL STAY HERE AND HELP THEM

THEN CRAM SCHOOL HAS ALREADY STARTED

OH DAMN, YOU'RE RIGHT

DAMN IT

TEHEHE KOTAROU -KUN!

AH, MISHA-SAN

I'M GOING BACK HOME NOW

I HAD FORGOTTEN ABOUT THAT IN ALL THE CONFUSION.

CRAM SCHOOL

SO I'M GOING BACK HOME TOO ~SU

I SEE

TEHEHE' I CAME HERE BY MY 'HEAVEN'S CARTON'

AND WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO NOW?

HURRY BACK HOME KOTAROU-KUN ~SU

YES, YES

I'LL SEE YOU LATER! I'LL WAIT FOR YOU AT HOME ~SU

SFX: COLD WIND

SFX: SIGH

WHAT SHOULD I DO ABOUT SHIA-SAN NOW?

AH...

I'M SORRY

YES...

DO YOU REALLY WANT TO GO?

I'M GOING

SHIA-SAN!

YES

ARE YOU AWARE OF THE CONSE-QUENCES?

THEN DO WHAT YOU WANT

WERE YOU WAITING?!

SHIA-SAN!!

WHAT HAPPENED HERE SHOULD BE KEPT BETWEEN US. TEN-CHAN AND THE OTHERS MUST NEVER.

FIND OUT

I KNOW I DON'T WANT TO FRIGHTEN THEM EITHER

NO, THAT'S OKAY

I STILL NEED TO PACK MY THINGS

OH, SHIA-SAN!

WHEN WE GET BACK, WILL YOU COOK ME YOUR YUMMY CURRY AGAIN?

I LIKE EATING IT SO MUCH!

YES!

I'LL ALSO PREPARE YOUR OBENTO FOR YOUR CRAM SCHOOL

WITH HAM-BURGERS!

I ARGUED WITH TEN-CHAN OVER THEM.

OH!

AT THE END OF THE YEAR WE HAVE A BIG WASHING DAY

IT'LL BE NEW YEAR'S SOON..

MAYBE WE SHOULD WASH OUR LAUNDRY, BECAUSE WE HAVEN'T BEEN AT HOME FOR DAYS

AND OUR FLATS TOO.

YOU ONLY THINK ABOUT EATING, KOTAROU-SAN..

DO YOU EVEN HAVE ANY TIME TO STUDY FOR YOUR EXAM?

ON NEW YEAR'S DAY, I DEFI-NATELY WANT TO EAT ZONI*!

HEY YOU SOUND LIKE A TEACHER

(*TRANSLATOR'S NOTE: ZONI = NEW YEAR'S DAY'S SOUP)

I'M REALLY LOOKING FORWARD TO IT

BUT...

... ME TOO

YES...

SFX. SMILE

IT'S OKAY, I'LL BUY IT FOR YOU!

I CAN GO AND BUY THEM.

MY AUNT GAVE ME THE MONEY FOR THEM

AH!

I'M GOING TO BUY THE TICKETS!

THANKS.

WAIT A MOMENT!

SFX: COUGH

MY NEW LIFE

BEGINS NOW

WHAT SHOULD I COOK AN NEW YEAR'S?

TAROU-SAN... TO LIVE WITH YOU WAS AN UNACHIEVABLE DREAM, BUT...

I'LL LIVE ON

WITH KOTAROU-SAN, A MEMBER OF MY. OUR FAMILY, WHO WE'VE PROTECTED

SFX. SIGH

SFX. GASP

THIS WAY, I'LL

I'VE GOT

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SFX: FLOP

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SHIA-SAN!

…?

…SHIA-SAN…

SHIA-SAN!

HERE'S YOUR TICKET!

SFX: DOK (HEARTBEAT)

.....!?

SHIA-SAN!!

NO...

SHIA-SAN...!

SFX: SHAKE

SHIA-SAN!!

SHIA-SAN!!

WAKE UP!!

YOU'RE ONLY SLEEPING!!

SHI

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THIS...

THIS CAN'T BE HAPPENING ...

THIS CAN'T ..

..BE TRUE!

NO...

PLEASE ...

.ONLY NOTICE HOW IMPOR-TANT

NO!

IT IS TOO LATE, WHEN YOU..

YOU CAN'T BE DEAD!

NO!

THIS

..CAN'T BE HAPPEN-ING

I REFUSE TO BELIVE THIS!!

SFX: SWOOP

...DEAD

NOW, SHE IS...

.....!!

...AH...!

YOU!

YOU! KNOW HOW TO REVIVE SHIA-SAN!!

TELL ME HOW TO REVIVE HER!

PLEASE!!

SFX: IMPACT

WHEN WE GET HOME!!

...MY FAVOURITE MEAL..

SHE PROMISED TO COOK.

I WARNED HER, BUT SHE DIDN'T WANT TO LISTEN

IT'S TOO LATE

!

SHE WANTED TO..

...NEW YEAR'S DAY

SHE WAS REALLY LOOKING FORWARD TO.

AT THE END OF THE YEAR, WE WERE GOING TO CLEAN OUR FLATS..

SHE...

.. STAY WITH ME

...SHE PROMISED!!

.. PROMISED ME SHE WOULD.

I HAVE ALWAYS THOUGHT THAT SHE WAS INCOM-PETENT

AH...

SFX: SLOW MOVEMENT

BUT ACTUALLY SHE WAS STILL A REAL DEMON

SHE SNEAKED INTO THE GAP IN YOUR HEART

AND LEFT A BIG SCAR THAT CAUSED GREAT HARM..

WHAT?

ALSO THIS MAN, TAROU, WASTED HIS LIFE BECAUSE OF HER.

...TO YOU AND...

...YOUR FRIENDS

...MY LIFE...

AND ALSO...

HEY!

FARE-WELL!

SFX: KURU (TURN)

WHAT?

AND I DON'T WANT TO SEE YOU AGAIN!

YOU WON'T SEEING ME AGAIN

WAIT!

... WA...

SFX: SHIN (SILENCE)

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AH...

.....

SFX: SOB

...URGH ...

ARGH ...

SINCE SHE'S NOT HERE ANYMORE

THIS TICKET IS USELESS

AND WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE, UEMATSU?

I'VE CAUGHT UP TO YOU!

TEN-CHAN!

ARE YOU GOING TO SEND NEW YEAR CARDS?

HE, HE!

OH! AND YOU'LL ALSO GET ONE TEN-CHAN

I'M SO STUPID! I DEFINITELY HAVE TO WRITE ONE TO KOTAROU-CHAN!!

AHHH! I STILL HAVEN'T WRITTEN A SINGLE ONE!

AND WHERE IS MISHA-SAN?

OH YOU KNOW I HAVEN'T SEEN KOTAROU-CHAN FOR QUITE A WHILE!!

WHAT DOES THAT MEAN, I'LL ALSO GET ONE?

SHIA-SAN LATELY

I ALSO HAVEN'T SEEN.

OH, YES! I WANT TO SEE KOTAROU-CHAN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE!

AND THE CARDS ARE ALSO ON THEIR WAY

WELL, THEY'LL BOTH BE BACK SOON!

Lesson 39
How to cry

HAPPY NEW YEAR!!
HAPPY NEW YEAR! LONG TIME NO SEE!
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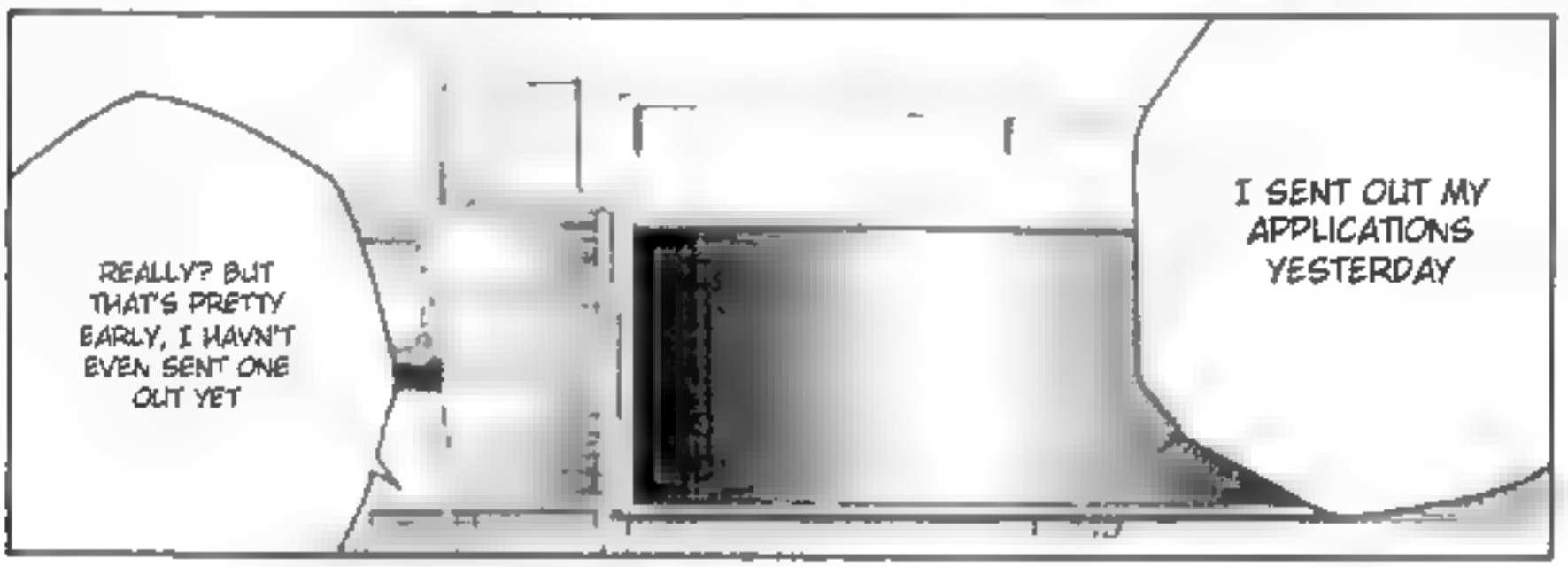
ALL I DID WAS STUDY!
HOW WERE YOUR WINTER HOLIDAYS?


REALLY? BUT THAT'S PRETTY EARLY, I HAVN'T EVEN SENT ONE OUT YET
I SENT OUT MY APPLICATIONS YESTERDAY

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN!! IT'S GOOD TO SEE YOU AGAIN!

SFX: HRGH

THE BEST TUTOR IN THE WORLD TAUGHT ME..

USING A REVOLUTIONARY METHOD EACH TIME

SFX: CHATTER

YOU SHOULD HAVE SEEN HOW STUDIOUS I WAS DURING THE HOLIDAYS!

SFX: CLATTER

OH! THERE YOU ARE, HIGUCHI! HAPPY NEW YEAR!

HOW WERE YOU WINTER HOLIDAYS? DID YOU STUDY AT LEAST?

HUH?

WELL... NOT THAT MUCH...
DID YOU RECEIVE MY NEW YEAR CARD YET?
HAPPY NEW YEAR, KOTAROU-CHAN!
YES. THANKS.
HAHAHA! NOT MUCH THEN, I GUESS!
SHUT UP!

SFX: TREMBLE

AND SHIA-SAN A CARD...

I'VE ALSO SENT MISHA-SAN...

WHAT'S WRONG WITH KOTAROU-CHAN?

DO YOU KNOW WHETHER THEY'VE RECEIVED THEM?

I DON'T FEEL WELL...

SORRY...

I DON'T...

KOTAROU-CHAN?

ARE YOU OKAY?

KOTAROU-KUN...?

HE WON'T PASS THE ENTRANCE EXAM IF HE'S SICK!

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KOTAROU-KUN...

AH! MISHA-SAN!

MAYBE HE'S SICK?

HE LEFT HE DIDN'T FEEL WELL

THAT DOESN'T SOUND GOOD.

DID YOU WANT TO SEE KOTAROU?

HAPPY NEW YEAR MISHA-SAN!

HE HAS BEEN AVOIDING ME...

SINCE HE CAME BACK...

I WONDER IF HE'LL GET BETTER BEFORE THE ENTRANCE EXAM.

I'M SURE HE'S JUST SICK...

HE PROB-ABLY DIDN'T RECIEVE MANY PRESENTS

BESIDES, SHIA-CHAN IS STILL MISSING...

MAYBE HE DIDN'T LIKE MY CARD... MAYBE I WROTE SOMETHING WEIRD?

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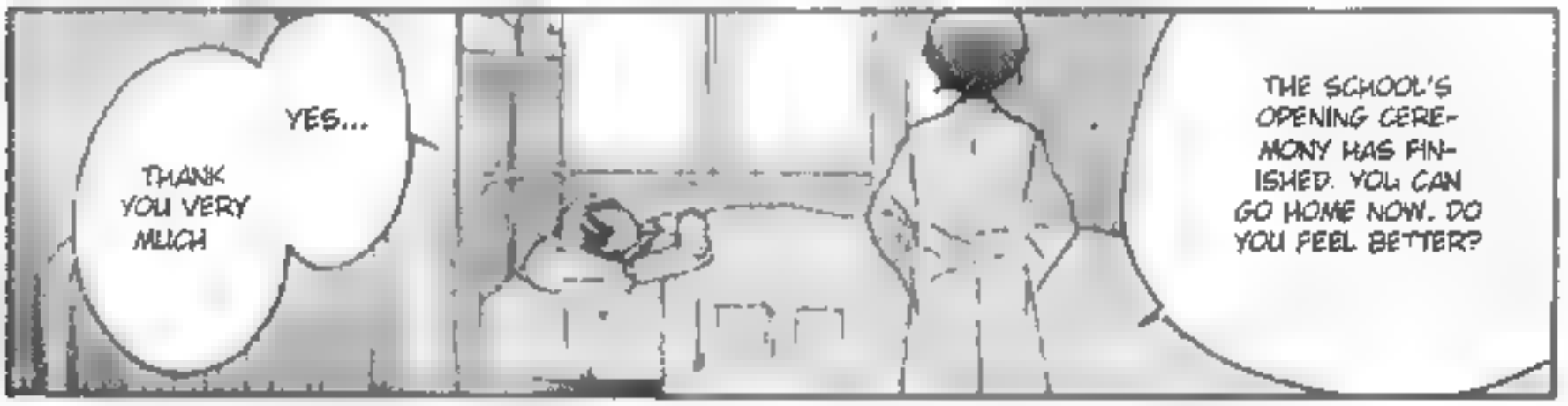
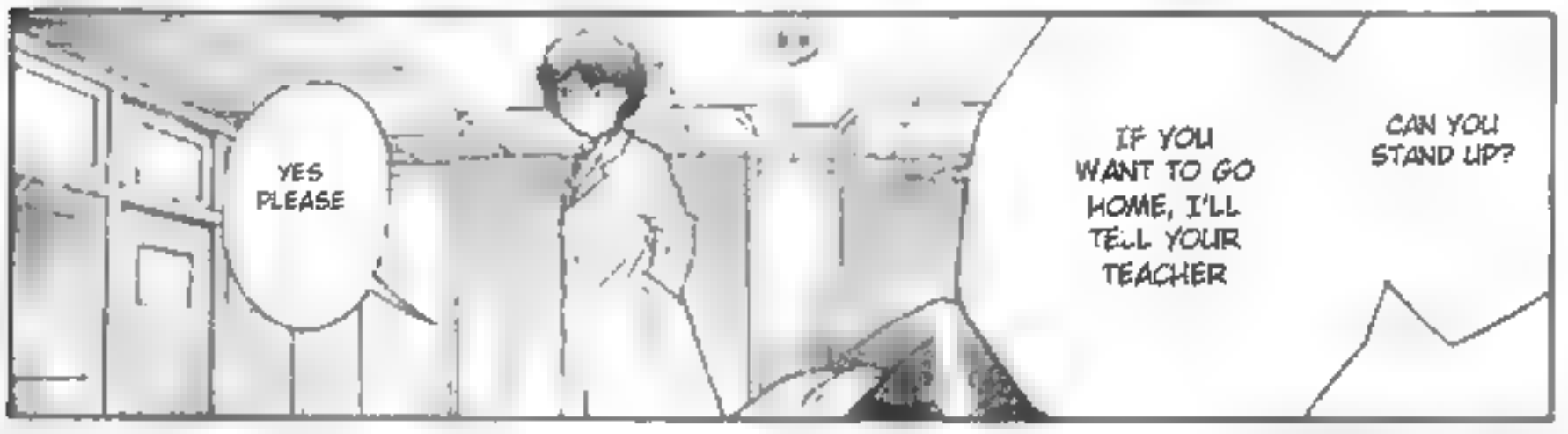
SFX: KIN KON (SCHOOL BELL)





SFX: PATAN (DOOR SHUTTING)

SHIA-
SAN.

SFX: ARGH

...UGH

I DIDN'T WANT TO SEE MISHA-SAN.

SO I TOOK PRIVATE LESSONS DURING THE DAY

I ONLY STUDIED SO THAT I WOULDN'T THINK OF HER

SINCE THEN...

I WAS SCARED...

WITHOUT SHIA-SAN BY HER SIDE

...TO SEE MISHA-SAN...

THAT I HAVE TO ACCEPT HER DEATH

BECAUSE THAT WOULD MEAN...

BESIDES ...

I AM...

SFX: ARGH!

...I AM...

SFX: SIGH

I CAN'T HIDE IT...

FROM HER ANYMORE

...TELL MISHA-SAN...

I MUST...

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AH...

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SFX: SPLASH

UWAH!

HI KOTAROU!

TEN-CHAN!

.....

ER. YES.

DO YOU KNOW WHICH SCHOOL YOU WANT TO APPLY FOR?

YOU ATTENDED CRAM SCHOOL, DIDN'T YOU?

GOOD!

CAN YOU TELL ME IF YOU HAVE.

DO YOU FEEL BETTER?

ARE YOU GOING HOME?

YES, I FEEL BETTER

SFX: DOK! (HEARTBEAT)

...SEEN SHIA-SAN RECENTLY?

SFX: DOKIN DOKIN (HEARTBEAT)

AND SHE DOESN'T COME TO THE STORE ANYMORE EITHER

WELL, I HAVN'T SEEN HER SINCE THE BEGIN-NING OF THE HOLIDAYS

WHY?

SFX: DOKIN DOKIN (HEARTBEAT)

MAYBE SOMETHING HAPPENED TO HER?

THE CHEF SAYS, HE CAN'T CONTACT HER

LEAVE ME...

... ALONE!

NO...

REALLY?

YES, NOTHING!

WHAT'S WRONG?

DID SOME-THING HAPPEN BETWEEN YOU AND SHIA-SAN?

SHE TURNED YOU DOWN, RIGHT?

NOW I KNOW, WHAT HAPPENED BETWEEN THE BOTH OF YOU!

EH?

NOW WE'RE BOTH IN THE SAME BOAT!

MY GREAT-GRAND-MOTHER!

WELL. I SUPPOSE YOU COULD SAY IT WAS LIKE THAT

SHE JUST LEFT ME. IT WAS REALLY HARD FOR ME

WHAT?

IT'S OK, IT'S OK! I KNOW. I WAS TURNED DOWN, TOO

NEXT TIME I SEE SHIA-SAN, I'LL ASK HER, TO CHOSE EITHER YOU OR ME!

BUT IT'LL STILL BE A SHOCK TO LOSE TO ONE ANOTHER, HUH

HA HA... YEAH...

THAT

SHE'S NO LONGER HERE.

YOU KNOW...

COULDN'T TELL HIM.

喫茶店

EH?

IT'S ONLY A PUBLIC SCHOOL, AND MY PART-TIME'S SALARY SHOULD BE ENOUGH TO PAY THE FOR ENROLLMENT..

BUT CAN'T GUARANTEE I'LL GET INTO THE SCHOOL I PUT AS MY FIRST PREFERRENCE

I'M ALSO TAKING THE ENTRANCE EXAMINATION TOO!

BUT I'LL TRY TO DO MY BEST, BECAUSE SHE ENCOUR-AGED ME

WHEN I LEARNED THAT I COULDN'T GO TO THE SAME SCHOOL LIKE THE OTHERS, I WAS REALLY DEPRESSED

BUT THEN SHIA-SAN CONSOLED ME AND SAID THAT

HUH?

REALLY

...I WAS A GOOD STUDENT...

SO...

SFX: PAT PAT

YOU ALWAYS KEEP THEM TO YOURSELF!

I'LL HELP YOU, WHEN-EVER YOU WANT!

IF YOU HAVE ANY PROBLEMS, YOU MUST TALK ABOUT THEM KOTAROU!

BESIDES, THERE'S SOMEBODY WHO IS REALLY WORRIED ABOUT YOU

OH YES! AND I CAN'T STAND WATCHING IT ANYMORE!

REALLY?

SFX: SUH

THANKS...

TAKE CARE OF YOUR-SELF

I'LL SEE YOU TOMORROW!

SFX: TAP

SFX: TAP TAP

SFX: TURN

SFX: CREAK

KOTAROU-KUN!

SFX: HUG

NYA

UWAHH!

I MISSED YOU SO MUCH!

YOU WERE ALMOST NEVER AT HOME AND ONLY STUDIED ALL THE TIME!

COME! I'LL SHOW YOU MY APARTMENT I'VE CLEANED IT UP BECAUSE SHIA-CHAN IS RETURNING SHE'LL BE AMAZED, WHEN SHE RETURNS..

COME AND TAKE A LOOK!

WAIT...

I CAN'T...

NO...

I...

...DON'T WANT TO...!

SFX: TADA!

I CLEANED IT UP AS WELL AS I COULD!

DO YOU LIKE IT? DO YOU?

.....!

THIS WAY OR THAT WAY WHAT DO YOU THINK?

AND THE FROG ARE MY FAVOURITE!

THIS FLOWER HERE...

DO YOU LIKE IT? DO YOU LIKE IT?

NYA? DO YOU LIKE THE ROOM?

YOU'RE FUNNY, MISHA-SAN

OH, MAN

DO YOU THINK SO?

WELL I WOULD PUT THAT THING HERE

HMM...

KOTAROU-KUN...

BUT I LIKE THIS ONE...

THIS IS UNNECESSARY ...

DO YOU
FEEL BETTER NOW?

I HEARED FROM THE OTHERS THAT YOU WERE SICK

WE RARELY SEE EACH OTHER

REALLY?

WE ARE ALL WORRIED ABOUT YOU, KOTAROU-KUN

BUT I'M SURE, EVERTHING WILL BE FINE!

SHIA-CHAN ISN'T HERE RIGHT NOW

KOTAROU-KUN?

IF YOU HAVE PROBLEMS, YOU MUST TALK ABOUT THEM KOTAROU!

KOTAROU-KUN?

WHAT'S WRONG?

SHIA-SAN WILL NEVER...

...COME BACK

SHE'S DEAD

WHAT?

"WAIL"

BUT...

SHE'S DEAD

SHE DIED JUST WHEN SHE WANTED TO GO HOME

SFX: BAM

HER DEATH WAS MY FAULT!

IT'S MY FAULT!

I WANTED TO...

BUT...

I COULDN'T HELP HER! SHE WAS SO WEAK...

SFX: BAM BAM BAM

SHE SHOULDN'T HAVE DIED!

EVERTHING IS MY FAULT!

SFX: BAM BAM

SHE'S DEAD...

...BECAUSE OF ME!

...TAKEN MY LIFE FORCE!

SHE SHOULD HAVE...

UWAHHH!

ACTUALLY IT'S MY FAULT!

WHAT?

SFX: WAH WAH WAH

SFX: SOB

ER.

NO.

I'M A STUPID ANGEL!

PLEASE FORGIVE ME SHIA-CHAN!

NYA SAID THAT MY ANGEL POWER WOULD ONLY HARM HER

BESIDES IT WAS MY DUTY TO SAVE HER LIFE! BECAUSE I'M AN ANGEL!

SFX: WAH

IT'S MY...

NO! THAT'S NOT TRUE!

SFX: GUNNN

I KNOW EVERYTHING YOU HAVE DONE FOR HER

STOP CRYING! IT'S NOT YOUR FAULT AT ALL....

I WAS TOO STUPID AND TOO WEAK TO HELP HER!

IT'S NOT YOUR FAULT, KOTAROU-KUN!

SFX: WAH WAH WAH WAH

UWAHHH!

MISHA-SAN

MI...

SHIA-CHAAAN!

SHIA-CHAAAN!

.....

UHH...

UHH...

UH...

WAHHH!

SFX: WAHHH! WAHHH!

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SOMEHOW, I FEEL BETTER NOW...

...IT HURTS MORE...

MANY BAD THING HAVE HAPPENED, BUT STILL...

WHY?

...TO REMEMBER THE HAPPY TIMES

SHE WAS REALLY LOOKING FORWARD TO HER NEW LIFE...

JUST BEFORE SHE DIED, SHE LOOKED REALLY HAPPY

SHIA-SAN...

SHE WAS HAPPY IN THE END

...THEN THAT'S GOOD

I SUPPOSE IT WAS TOO MUCH FOR HER

BUT WHEN...

I DON'T KNOW, BUT I'M SURE SHE CAN!

CAN A DEMON GO TO HEAVEN TOO?

I'M SURE SHE'LL SEE YOUR GREAT-GRAND-FATHER IN HEAVEN AGAIN

HAVE YOU LOST A BIT OF WEIGHT?

AH!

KOTAROU-KUN!

AND YOU'VE ALSO GROWN

I NOTICED SOMETHING LIKE THAT IMMEDIATELY BECAUSE I'M ALWAYS HUGGING YOU!

TEHEHE

MY BIRTH-DAY IS APPROACHING

REALLY? WHEN?

IT MIGHT BE BECAUSE

YES...

MY SCHOOL'S CLOSING CEREMONY IS ALSO ON THE SAME DAY

SHIA-SAN ONCE TOLD ME THAT THE PRIMROSE IS MY BITHDAY FLOWER

ON THE 26TH OF MARCH...

SFX: GIGGLE GIGGLE

AT THAT MOMENT...

YES, I HAVE MY EXAM SOON TOO

BUT FIRST I HAVE TO TAKE THE EXNTRANCE EXAM

A BOY...

...AND AN ANGEL...

...APPEARED IN FRONT OF ME

AND I GOT SCARED

KOTAROU-KUN...
YOU'VE GROWN TALLER!
I NOTICED SOMETHING LIKE THAT IMMEDIATELY BECAUSE I'M ALWAYS HUGGING YOU!
SFX FLASH
BUT YOU BRAIN GOT SMALLER.
AHHH! THIS IS ALL YOUR FAULT!

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MMM...
AH...
AH...
MISHA-SAN...
TE HEHE

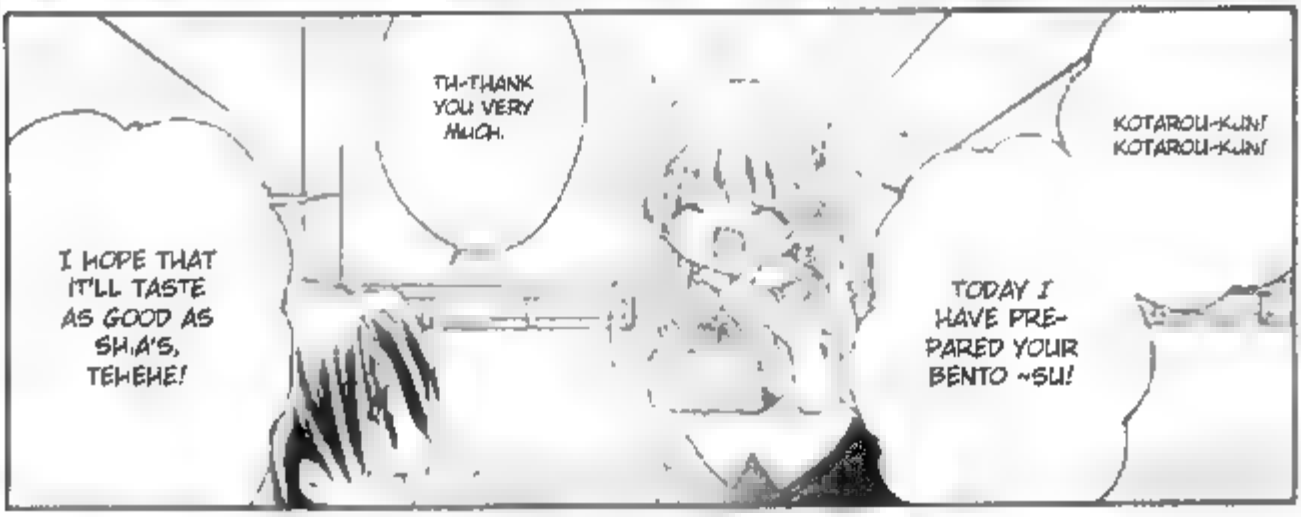
I THOUGHT ...
THAT YOU WOULD NEVER RETURN AND...
I'M REALLY GLAD
THAT I WOULDN'T BE ABLE TO SEE YOU AGAIN...
THAT YOU'RE STILL HERE!
REALLY GLAD...
I'M GLAD...
SFX: SWISH
MISHA-SAN...

SFX. STRONG MOVEMENT
!!
!
MISHA-SAN!!
.....!
SFX. BREATHE IN
MISHA-SAN!!

PLEASE DON'T GO!!
MISHA-SAN!!
MISHA-SAN!!
SFX: BLINK
AH...
A DREAM...

SFX: SURPRISED
HMM?
IT CAN'T BE...
.....?
WHAT WAS THE DREAM ABOUT?
I FEEL LIKE I'VE SEEN IT ALREADY
IT SEEMS FAMILIAR...
.....?
IT DOESN'T MATTER.
THERE'S MORE IMPORTANT THINGS.
KOTAROU-KUN!

SFX: HEARTBEAT
A WEIRD DREAM...
GOOD MORNING.
ER...
I HAD


TH-THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
KOTAROU-KUN! KOTAROU-KUN!
I HOPE THAT IT'LL TASTE AS GOOD AS SHIA'S, TEHEHE!
TODAY I HAVE PRE-PARED YOUR BENTO ~SU!

SFX: CLACK
NYA?
LET'S GO ~SU!
WAIT!

SHIA-SAN.
WE'RE LEAVING NOW...
SHIA-CHAN, WE'RE GOING NOW ~Su!
YES ~Su!
WE-LL, THEN...

GOOD MORNING TEN-CHAN!
YO. MORNING, KOTAROU!
ARE YOU FEELING BETTER?
YES.
MORNING KOBOSH-CHAN
GOOD MORNING, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN!
MISHA-SAN! I ALREADY TOLD YOU TO LEAVE KOTAROU-CHAN ALONE!
YOU JUST SPOIL MISHA-SAN TOO MUCH, KOTAROU-CHAN!

WE'VE LOST SHIA-SAN...
HOWEVER ..
I HOPE. .
THAT OUR DAILY LIFE...

KOTAROU-KUN, CAN WE GO HOME TOGETHER ~SU?
ER... SORRY...
WILL CONTINUE TO BE PEACEFUL
I STILL HAVE PRIVATE TUITION TODAY
THE ENTRANCE EXAM IS SOON.
OKAY ~SU! THEN I'LL GO HOME! GOOD LUCK ~SU!
LIKE NOW.

日々努力
SINCE YOU HAVE YOUR ENTRANCE EXAMS IN A MONTH, YOU MUST
LOOK AFTER YOURSELF!
WELL...
THE ENTRANCE EXAM..
I HAVE MY EXAM SOON..
AN EXAM.
TO BECOME AN ANGEL..
WHAT IS SHE...
GOING TO DO?

I THINK IT'S FUNNY
I'LL BE ABLE TO SEE
ANYWAYS..
HER SO OFTEN...
I DOUBTED...
ALL THAT ISN'T IMPORTANT ANYMORE.
BUT NOW
SFX: CLICK
HUH?
MISHA-SAN...?
SFX: DOORBELL
MISHA-SAN...
I WISH.
THAT SHE'LL STAY WITH ME.

WHEN ARE YOU GOING TO TAKE THINGS SERIOUSLY?!
WAH!

IS THERE A..
PROBLEM?

SASHA-SAN...

OH YES! WE HAVE A PROBLEM!
AND IT'S BECAUSE OF YOU!
SFX: UH-OH
BECAUSE OF ME?
WHY?
SFX: WAVE WAVE
HOW DARE YOU...
ASK ME THAT?!
DON'T YOU KNOW HOW MUCH YOU'RE DISTRACTING MISHA?
YOU'RE BOTHERING HER! SHE'LL NEVER PASS THE EXAM LIKE THIS!

HER ANGEL EXAM!
THE ANGEL EXAM?

SFX. POINT

SFX GRR

SFX SHINE
DON'T WORRY! EVEN IF KOTAROU-KUN IS STAYING WITH ME...
I'LL PASS MY ANGEL EXAM!
NYA!
I DON'T BELIEVE A SINGLE WORD YOU SAY ANYMORE!
ERR.
DO YOU THINK THAT I'VE FORGOTTEN ABOUT YOU RUNNING AWAY?! JUST BECAUSE OF THAT BOY, YOU RAN AWAY EVEN THOUGH YOU STILL HAD TO STUDY!!

COULD I HELP MISHA-SAN STUDY?
HMM...
WHAT EXACTLY IS THE 'ANGEL EXAM'?
NOW THAT I THINK OF IT YOU REALLY DON'T KNOW ANYTHING.
FINE...
SFX BEEP
THEN...
I'LL SHOW YOU!
AN ANGEL
AND...
SA. SAA-CHAN!
YOURSELF!

SFX: SWOOSH

!!

!!

SFX. SILENCE

KOTAROU-KUN!!
SFX. STUMBLE

SAA-CHUN...
AHHH! DON'T LOOK AT ME LIKE THAT! STOP CRYING!
DON'T WORRY!
HE'S ONLY DREAMING.
DREAMING?
YES, HE'S DREAMING...
BUT...

IT COULD BECOME A NIGHTMARE.
HUH?
WHAT'S ....
WRONG WITH ME?
DID I...
FALL ASLEEP?

I ONLY WANT .
EH...?
TO BE WITH HER..
MY ONLY WISH....
SFX. SPLASH
UWAH!
IT'S COLD!!
.....!
AH...
HUH...
WHERE. ?

WHERE AM I?
.....!
SFX: SPLASH
WH...
WHAT...?
UWAHH!!

WH...
WHY...?
WHY WAS I SCARED?
.....
WHAT A FUNNY FEELING...
SFX: SHINE
IT'S LIKE I'M IN THE BODY OF SOMEONE ELSE.
HOWEVER IT'S STILL MY BODY
BUT IS THAT REALLY ME?
OR ISN'T...
IT?

SFX: GLITTER GLITTER

KOTAROU-KUN!
THANKS FOR WAITING FOR ME!
.....!
MI...

SFX SWOOSH
MISHA-SAN!
I'M HAPPY...
THAT YOU'RE STILL HERE.
I THOUGHT THAT...
YOU WOULD NEVER RETURN AND THAT I WOULDN'T BE ABLE TO SEE YOU AGAIN...
BUT
I'M REALLY HAPPY

MISHA-SAN...
REALLY HAPPY...
MISHA-SAN...
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MISHA-SAN...
THE DAY WE FIRST MET WAS THE BEST DAY OF MY LIFE...
IT'S SO EMBARASSING THAT I CAN'T...
ADAPT TO THE HUMAN WORLD.
EVERYBODY IN THE VILLAGE, EXCEPT FOR MY FAMILY, HATES ME...

EH, WHY DO THEY HATE YOU?
YOU'RE SO KIND AND FRIENDLY...
THANKS..

I CAN SEE GHOSTS.
I'M JUST DIFFRENT FROM THEM..
AND WHEN I SEE PEOPLE'S FACES I'LL KNOW IF THEY ARE GOING TO DIE SOON.

MAYBE I'M TOO CLUMSY
THE OTHERS AVOID ME, SO I AVOID THEM TOO.

I ONCE TOLD A SOLDIER, THAT HE SHOULD BE CAREFUL BECAUSE HE WAS GOING TO BE KILLED. HE WAS JUST ON THE WAY TO THE WAR.
.....
I KNOW WHY THE OTHERS HATE ME.

KOTAROU-KUN...
THAT'S THE ONLY THING THAT MAKES ME HAPPY
BUT THANKS TO THAT GIFT, I CAN SEE YOU.

I... I WANT TO HELP YOU. I WANT TO MAKE YOU HAPPY SO THAT I CAN ALSO BE HAPPY!!
IF YOU'RE SAD THEN YOU SHOULD TELL ME!

IT DOESN'T MATTER TO ME IF YOU JUST CALL ME 'MISHA'.
WHY ARE YOU USING '-SAN' AGAIN?
AND
MISHA-SAN..

WE'VE ALREADY KNOWN EACH OTHER FOR A WHILE BUT YOU ALWAYS SPEAK SO FORMALLY
THEN YOU SHOULDN'T BE SHY EITHER.
DON'T BE SHY!
I DIDN'T EVEN NOTICE
.....
REALLY? I'M SORRY...
AH.
OH...
IT MAKES ME SAD.
SFX: UH-OH
WELL...
AH!
I KNOW ~Su!
THIS IS DIFFICULT. HMM. HOW SHOULD I TALK?
AH... HOW SHOULD I TALK THEN?

IS THE WAY I TALK BETTER NOW ~SU?
EH?
...
SFX: UH-OH
ガーン
IT SOUNDS QUITE STUPID
REALLY?
NE, NE? IS IT OKAY THIS WAY ~SU?
WHETHER I LIKE IT OR NOT

SFX: SNORT
SFX: HAHAHAHA
BUT... HAHAHA HAHA
IT SOUNDS REALLY FUNNY, MISHA-SAN!!
SFX: HAHA
NOT BAD!
HAHAHA
.....
I'M GLAD THAT YOU LIKE IT
I'M REALLY GLAD.
TEHEHE...

HA...
HAHA...
WHAT'S WRONG?
.....
AM I...
ALLOWED TO BE HAPPY?
EH?
OF COURSE ~SU!
YOU MUST BE HAPPY, KOTAROU-KUN!!
YOUR HAPPINESS IS ALSO MY HAPPINESS ~SU!

THAT'S HOW IT IS ~SU!
MY HAPPI-NESS IS ALSO YOUR HAPPI-NESS?
YES ~SU!
BE HAPPY IN THE HUMAN WORLD ~SU!!
THEREFORE IT'S MY JOB TO HELP YOU...
I'M AN ANGE- ~SU...
SO THAT YOU'LL BE HAPPY,
THAT'S MY BIGGEST WISH ~SU!
THAT'S RIGHT ~SU!
IN THE HUMAN WORLD.

SHE S
RIGHT
TOUCH MISHA-SAN. .
I CAN'T EVEN..
...LIVE TOGETHER...
HUMANS AND ANGELS CAN'T...
YES, OF COURSE ~SU!
ARE YOU REALLY HAPPY, IF I'M HAPPY IN THE HUMAN WORLD?
...MISHA-SAN...

THEN...
I'LL BE HAPPY!
FOR YOU...
WHEN I CAN MAKE MISHA-SAN HAPPY
THEN I'LL BE ABLE...
TO BE HAPPY IN THIS WORLD

WAIT!
SO...
BUT YOU CAN'T CARRY ALL THE RICE BY YOURSELF
STAY AT HOME!
STOP! YOU CAN'T GO OUT, ONI-CHAN!
IF YOU GO TO THE VILLAGE, YOU'LL BE BULLIED
NO! NO! I'LL BE ALRIGHT!
BUT I STILL WANT TO GO OUT
THANKS...

I NEED TO GET USED ..
TO THIS WORLD
ONI-CHAN!
I'LL DO THAT
FOR MISHA-SAN!
UWAHHH!
HE'S HERE!
AH!
THAT'S HIM, KOTAROU!

SFX SWISH

SFX: BONK
AH!
DON'T COME CLOSER!
YOU'RE CURSED!
STAY WHERE YOU ARE!
SFX: DETERMINED
OUCH!
GO AWAY!!

SFX. CATCH
AHHH!
WHY AM I CURSED?!
SFX. TAP TAP
UWAHHH!
I HAVEN'T DONE ANY-THING TO YOU!!
AND STILL YOU ARE
TELL ME WHY?!
UWAHHH!
NOW HE'S HEADING TOWARDS US!!
THE ELDEST SON OF THE INOUE FAMILY WAS KILLED IN THE WAR.
BECAUSE YOU PUT AN EVIL CURSE ON HIM!
YOU HAVEN'T DONE ANY-THING?!
YOU'RE A DEVIL!

HE WAS KILLED...?
...SO HE REALLY...
SFX: IMPACT
...DIED...
SFX: SILENCE
SFX: TAP TAP
LET'S DISAPPEAR QUICKLY!!
AS LONG AS WE'RE NEAR HIM, WE'LL BE CURSED AS WELL!

SFX DEJECTED WALKING
SFX TREMBLE
OH NO!
IT'S KOTAROU!
AHHH!
EVERY-BODY KNOWS ABOUT
IT SEEMS THAT
SFX HURRAY! HURRAY!
SHE WAS WORRIED ABOUT ME
TRIED TO STOP ME
THAT'S WHY SHE

SIGN: VOLUNTARY SERVICE, APPOINTMENT OF MISTER HEIHACHI YAMANAKA, CAMPAIGN
SFX: AH!

!
!!
AH! THERE'S KOTAROU!
WHAT?!
WH. ?
WHAT'S WRONG?
GET LOST!!
GO AWAY!!
THAT'S A BAD OMEN!

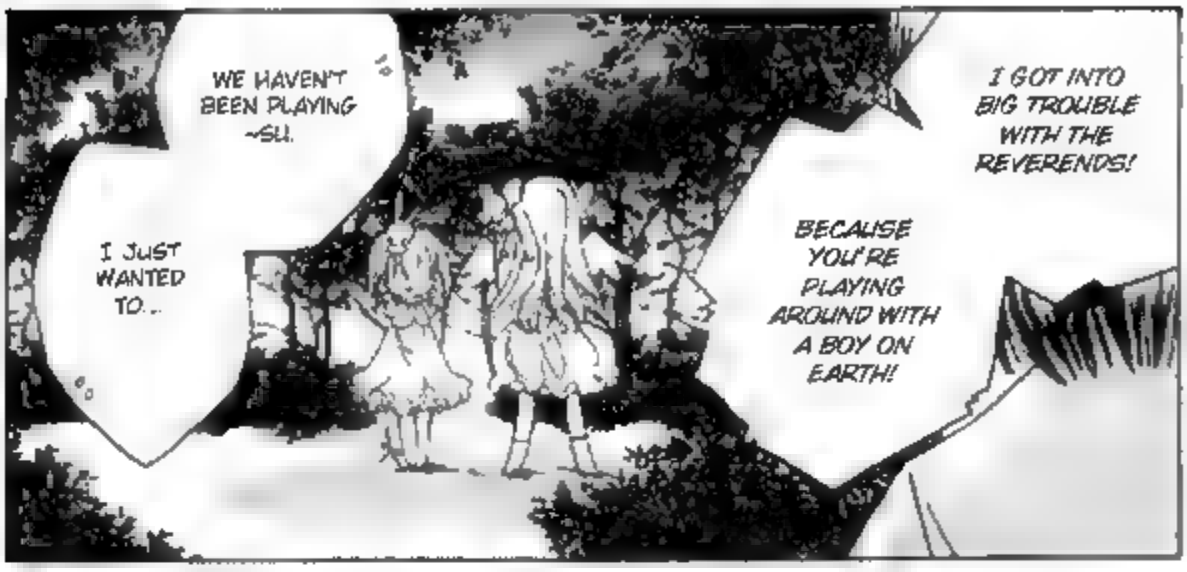
!!
I DIDN'T WANT TO SEE IT!
I DIDN'T WANT .
WHY AREN'T I..!!
SHINO AND FATHER ARE BOTH NORMA.
WHY DO I HAVE THIS GIFT?
PLEASE HELP ME, MISHA-SAN!
MISHA-SAN..

BROKEN..
DID THE KIDS DO THAT?!
AH!!
OUR FRONT DOOR IS...
WELCOME BACK!
ONII-CHAN!
THE IDIOTS FROM THE VILLAGE WERE HERE.
THEY THREW DIRT AND STUFF ON ME!
WHAT'S WRONG, SHINO?!
I'M FINE I'M FINE!
THE BRUISES ON YOUR ARM, DID THEY
THROW STONES AT YOU?!
IT'S NOT SERIOUS!
BUT DON'T WORRY! THEY RAN AWAY!
BUT YOU'RE INJURED!

SHINO
I'M GOING TO HAVE A BATH!
IT'S REALLY NOT SERIOUS! I'M FINE!
.....
...SHINO...
SFX: RUSTLE
SFX: FLOP
AH...
AH...
THESE ARE SHINO'S SCHOOL BOOKS...
Your brother is a devil
Crows and ravens, wrens and doves,
revolve and flutter around,
blow them, brooks and streams are singing
their softly modulated Song
Demon
blood
Kick the bucket!
Go away!
As far as the Eye reaches
fresh, cheerful colours are shining,
every sound is a song of happyness,
A celebration of the new life.
Fly by
disappear
Devil
Satan's family
Demons

...MY FAULT...?
IS THIS...
IF ..
BECAUSE OF ME?
I DISAPPEAR .
WILL EVERYTHING BE FINE AGAIN?

I...
I DON'T KNOW WHAT TO DO ANYMORE
WHAT SHOULD I DO?
MISHA-SAN
MISHA-SAN.
MISHA!!
I NEED YOU NOW
AT ANY COST


WE HAVEN'T BEEN PLAYING ~SU.
I JUST WANTED TO..
I GOT INTO BIG TROUBLE WITH THE REVERENDS!
BECAUSE YOU'RE PLAYING AROUND WITH A BOY ON EARTH!

HAVE YOU FORGOTTEN THAT YOU'RE ALREADY AN ANGEL?!
YOU AREN'T ALLOWED TO TAKE CARE OF HIM!

IT'S MISHA-SAN AND
WHO'S THE OTHER PERSON?
YOU'RE EVEN TALKING DIFFERENTLY!
BECAUSE OF THIS BOY!

KOTAROU-KUN IS TRYING SO HARD AND I WANT..
B... BUT...

THAT WAS DECIDED BY THE COUNCIL!
!!
IS THAT CLEAR?!
MISHA! ANSWER ME!

I EXPECT YOU TO BE BACK TODAY, GOT IT?
SHUT UP!
AND I FORBID YOU TO COME DOWN TO EARTH!

...I UNDERSTAND ~SU...
...YES ~SU...
!!
IF NOT, I'LL BE PUNISHED TOO!
OKAY!! YOU MUST BE BACK BEFORE STARFALL!
YES ~SU..

MISHA-SAN IS ..
GOING BACK TO HEAVEN!!
THIS CAN'T BE
HOW CAN I GO ON.
WITHOUT HER?!
NO!
NO!
NO!
I DON'T WAN TO GO ON WITHOUT HER
I WANT TO BE WITH MISHA-SAN!

STAY WITH ME!
SFX: Ahi
I DON'T NEED MY BODY ANYMORE I CAN'T EVEN TOUCH MISHA-SAN
I WANT TO GO TO HEAVEN!
I DEFINATELY WANT TO STAY WITH HER
IT'S SO EASY I'LL GO TO HEAVEN TOO

SFX: GLANCE
I MUST ABANDON...
EVERYTHING I HAVE IN THIS WORLD
AH
IN THE WATER
SFX: STAGGER
AND I'LL DO IT!

MY REFLECTION..
I'M SO SMALL AND WEAK.
SFX: GIGGLE
I DON'T WANT
THAT'S IT
MISHA-SAN.
TO LIVE...
IN THIS WORLD ANY LONGER.

...PLEASE TAKE...
ME WITH YOU...

IS HOW I TALK GOOD ~SU?
YES, I LIKE IT!
EXPLANATION: SHE TALKS LIKE THAT IN REALITY.
A DIALECT?
IT'Z NICE TO MEET YOU! I'M MISHA ~SU!

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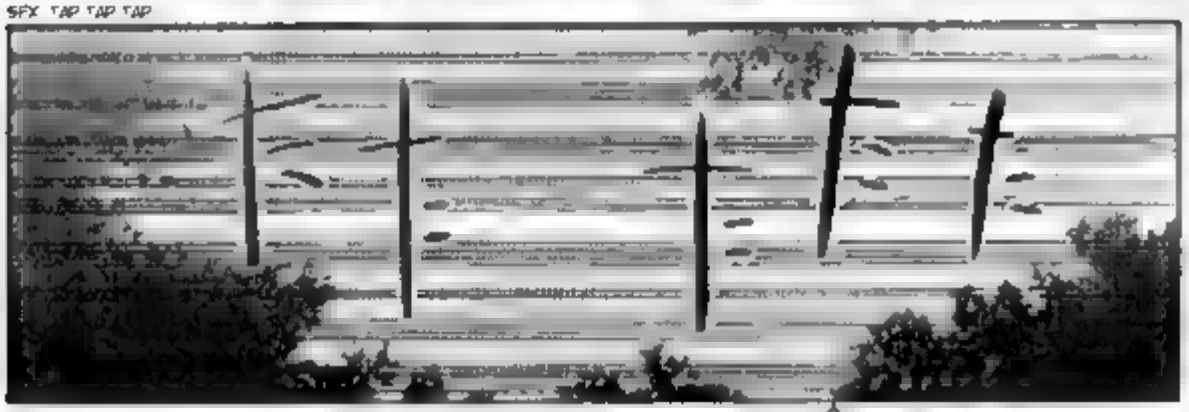
PLEASE...
SFX: SPLASH
...TAKE ME WITH YOU...!

SFX TAP TAP TAP



SFX: TREMBLE
SFX: TAP
KOTAROU-KUN, I'M COMING!
DID YOU FALL FROM THE CLIFF?!
ARE YOU HURT?!
I CAN'T TOUCH HIM
KOTAROU-KUN!!
I CAN'T PULL HIM OUT OF THE WATER!

HOW CAN I...
SAVE KOTAROU-KUN...
KOTAROU-KUN!
I'LL HELP YOU!
HOLD ON, KOTAROU-KUN!
.....
AH...
MISHA...
MISHA-SAN.
NOW...
I CAN STAY...
WITH MISHA-SAN...

SFX: FLUTTER

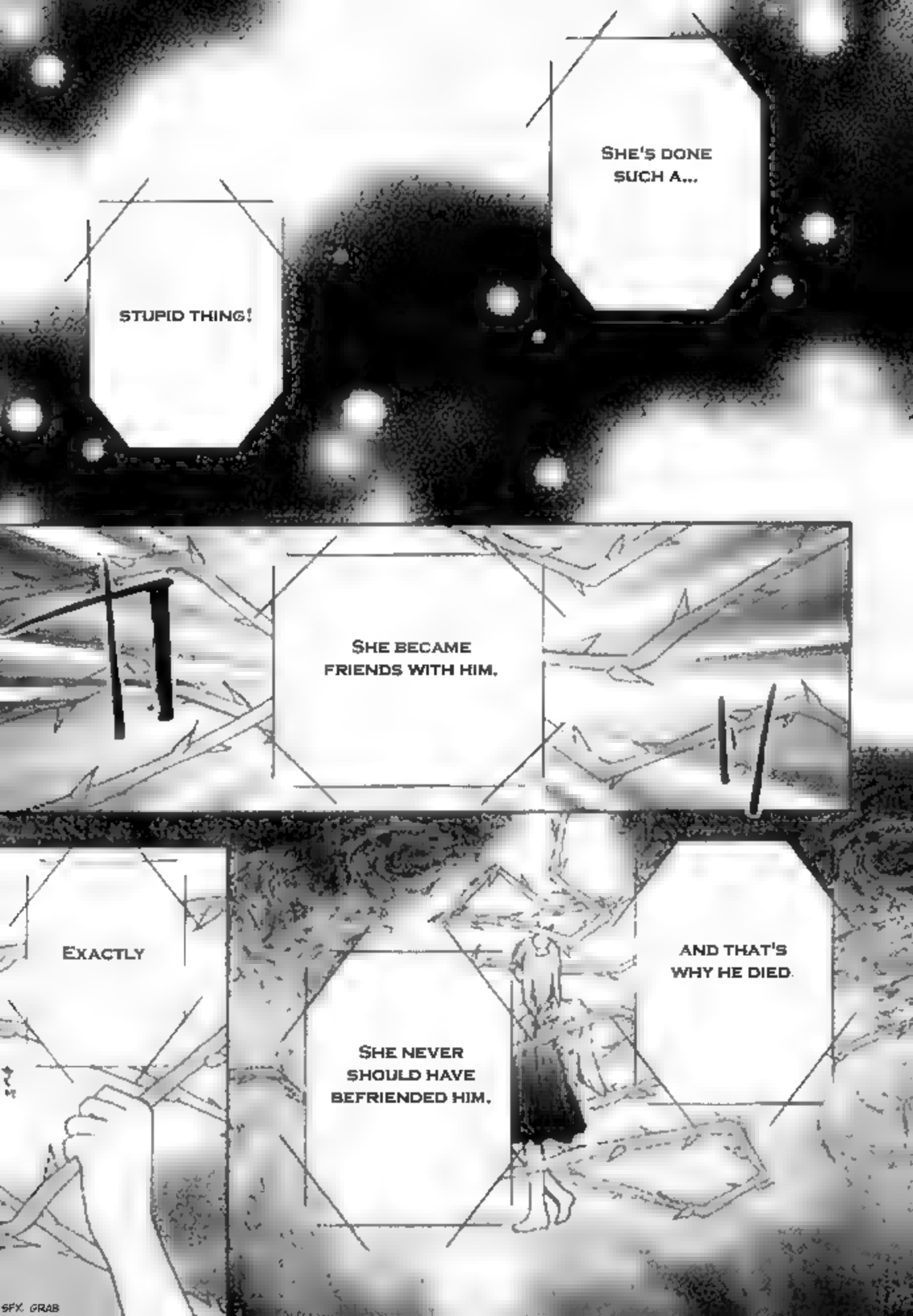
I WANT TO BE HAP-...

.....

SFX: SILENCE
KOTAROU-KUN...

AH!
MISHA! GOOD! YOU'RE BACK ON TIME!
.....?
MISHA?
WHAT'S WRONG?!
MISHA?!

Because of this Angel...
A human boy died.
What?! How could that have happened?
She was friends with him. He wanted her to stay with him, so he committed suicide.
Friends?! But humans can't see us!
However amongst the humans, there are some who can see us


She's done such a...
stupid thing!
She became friends with him.
Exactly
She never should have befriended him.
and that's why he died.
SFX. GRAB

I WAS SO STUPID...
I COULDN'T MAKE KOTAROU-KUN HAPPY!

KOTAROU-KUN...
KOTAROU-KUN...
IT DOESN'T MEAN THAT WE CAN BE TOGETHER
EVEN IF THE SOUL LEAVES THE BODY
WHERE I CAN
FIND YOU?
KOTAROU-KUN

HM...
...SHA...
KOTAROU
MISHA!!
SFX: GU!
HAVE YOU THOUGHT ABOUT WHAT YOU HAVE DONE?
WHAT?!
SAA-CHUN?!
SO YOU HAVEN'T CHANGED YOU MIND.
.....

YOU STILL WANT TO WEAR THIS BLACK DRESS EVEN THOUGH YOU'RE AN ANGEL...
AND YOU'RE STILL DEPRESSED
BESIDES, YOUR PURENESS AS AN ANGEL IS TAINTED SO NOW ALL HUMANS CAN SEE YOU.
BUT YET YOU CONTINUE THINKING ABOUT HIM?!
I'VE MADE HIM UNHAPPY
EVEN THOUGH I'M AN ANGEL...

IT DOESN'T MATTER...
YOU SHOULDN'T THINK ABOUT IT ANYMORE.
I HAVE GOOD NEWS FOR YOU
WAS REBORN INTO THE HUMAN WORLD.
THIS KOTAROU...
SO THAT .
WHAT?! REALLY?!
YES, THE REV-ERANDS GAVE YOU PERMISSION TO COME DOWN TO EARTH

SOME LESSONS. THE RESULTS WILL INFLUENCE THE RESULTS OF YOUR ANGEL EXAM!
ALL THE ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE, YOU CAN LIVE ON EARTH.
YOU WILL BECOME KOTAROU'S NEW NEIGHBOR AND LEARN.
HURRAY!
AND...
SFX. HURRAY HURRAY
YES, YES..
STAY WITH KOTAROU-KUN!
THIS TIME I CAN REALLY...

I'M SO HAPPY! I'M SO HAPPY!
I CAN STAY WITH KOTAROU-KUN NOW!
TH.S TIME I'LL MAKE HIM HAPPY!
I'LL DO ANYTH NG HE WANTS ME TO!

HE SAID THAT HE LIKES THE WAY I SPEAK
HE SAID THAT HE WAN'S TO GO OUT WITH ME
AND THAT HE WANTS TO STAY WITH ME FOREVER!
THIS TIME, I CAN TOUCH HIM
AND LIVE WITH HIM
THERE-FORE
I'LL ALWAYS STAY WITH HIM!
AND...

I'LL MAKE
HIM HAPPY!

MISHA-SAN...
KOTAROU-KUN...

SFX. MMM.
ARE YOU AWAKE?
I HAD A...
DREAM...
A DREAM?
REALLY?
AND WHAT WAS YOUR DREAM ABOUT?
YOU AND...
THE OTHER KOTAROU WERE THERE THEY HAD MET...
AND THEN...
.....

YOU...
CAME TO MAKE ME HAPPY.

SFX: GLOMP
YOU REMEMBER?!
YOU REMEMBER?
MM...!
WAIT...
PLEASE LISTEN TO ME!!
I'M SO HAPPY!

SFX: ER.
WHAT DOES IT MEAN THAT I'VE REMEBERED?
EH?
YOU'RE THE...
REINCARNATION OF MY OTHER KOTAROU-KUN ~SU!
THIS TIME I WILL...
HANG ON!
.....!
REINCAR-NATION?
WHAT DOES THAT MEAN?!
I'M HIS REINCAR-NATION?!
AND BECUASE YOU.
COULDN'T MAKE HIM HAPPY LAST TIME, I'VE ONLY BEEN REBORN SO THAT YOU CAN MAKE ME HAPPY?

YES!
TEHEHE
I MIGHT REALLY
BE HIS REINCARNA-TION, BUT ..

TELL ME, HAS EVERYTHING THAT YOU'VE DONE FOR ME SO FAR..
BUT THAT .
WOULD MEAN..
ACTUALLY ONLY BEEN FOR THE OTHER KOTAROU?
HMM...
WHAT WOULD HAVE HAPPENED TO US, IF I HADN'T FOUND OUT THAT I'M HIS REINCARNATION?
THEN I WOULD HAVE WAITED UNTIL YOU FOUND OUT...

DON'T TAKE ME FOR AN IDIOT!!

IN REALITY YOU HAVEN'T
THAT MEANS YOU SAW THE OTHER KOTAROU IN ME!
SFX: SLAM
SFX: SWOOSH
KOTAROU-KUN!
WANTED TO BE WITH ME!

KOTAROU-KUN.
I'M SORRY.
BUT THAT WAS...
THE BEST SOLUTION.
I WAS CHILDISH...
DAMN IT
I'M SO ANGRY
AND JEALOUS

SO MADLY
...
IN LO-...
SFX: TOCK TOCK
MAN...
OH MAN!
OH NO.
IT'S COLD!
AH!

AH...
KOTAROU-CHAN!!
KOBOSHI-CHAN...
AND TEN-CHAN!
WHY ARE YOU SITTING HERE? YOU'LL GET A COLD!
HAVE YOU FORGOTTEN ABOUT THE ENTRANCE EXAM?!
HUH? ARE YOU OKAY? DID SOMETHING HAPPEN?
NO, NOTHING
SHE JUST STUDIED FOR SOCIAL STUDIES IN THE CAFE.
SHE STUDIED A PILE OF NOTES!
SHUT UP!

THAT'S NOT TRUE!
YOU CAN'T FOOL ME!
I ALWAYS NOTICE IT AT ONCE, WHEN YOU HAVE PROBLEMS. I KNOW EVERYTHING ABOUT YOU!
KOBOSHI-CHAN..
YOU CAN TELL ME ANYTHING, KOTAROU-CHAN..
TRUST ME!
OH!

REALLY?
OOPS, I'VE LEFT ALL MY STUDY NOTES IN THE CAFE!
SORRY, I NEED TO GO BACK AGAIN. BUT YOU CAN GO AHEAD!
SEE YOU!
TAKE CARE! SEE YOU TOMORROW!
WE'LL SEE YOU IN SCHOOL!

WHAT?!
I WAS TURNED DOWN.
WHAT'S WRONG WITH YOU?
I...
YES.
YOU MEAN... BY A GIRL?
BUT I'M ACTUALLY I'M CRAZY ABOUT HER...
AT THE BEGINNING I DIDN'T NOTICE THAT I HAD FALLEN IN LOVE WITH HER...
I WAS SO STUPID...
BUT SHE DIDN'T WANT TO BE WITH ME...
.....

KOTAROU-CHAN IS IN LOVE WITH A GIRL, BUT THAT GIRL DOESN'T ...
WANT KOTAROU-CHAN...
OH NO, WHAT SHOULD I DO?
I'M SORRY...
WHAT SHOULD I SAY?
THAT WAS A STUPID THING TO SAY...
IT DOESN'T MATTER...
YOU CAN TELL ME ANYTHING, KOTAROU-CHAN!
THANKS. THANK YOU VERY MUCH...
NOW I'M RELIEVED.
WHAT...
WHAT SHOULD I DO...
I...

WHAT'S WRONG KOBOSHI-CHAN?
.....?
I...
HOW... WOULD IT BE...
KOBOSHI -CHAN?
?
YOU DON'T HAVE... A GIRLFRIEND NOW, DO YOU?
IF YOU... WOULD GO OUT... WITH ME?
TO BE CONTINUED IN VOLUME 8!

SFX: ERR